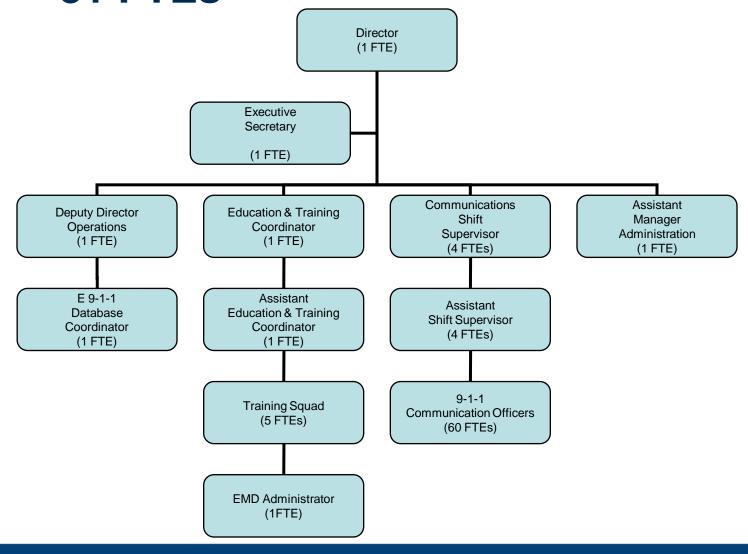


Emergency Communications

Proposed Budget FY2009 - 10



Emergency Communications 81 FTEs





Program Prioritization

- Providing the public with the fastest and most efficient response to emergency calls possible while insuring the safety of police, fire and E.M.S. personnel
- 2. The Education and Training Division provides highly specialized training to new employees and conducts continuing education training to all DECC employees throughout the year. This division is responsible for maintaining and pursuing the departments accreditations.



Resource Allocation Table

		Actual		Adopted		Revised		Estimated		Proposed	
	F	Y 2007-08	F	Y 2008-09	F	Y 2008-09	F	Y 2008-09	F	Y 2009-10	Change
Appropriations											
Personal Services	\$	3,507,019	\$	4,039,355	\$	4,183,882	\$	4,178,089	\$	4,347,882	7.6%
Operating		1,152,031		1,972,732		2,307,835		2,019,468		1,920,708	-2.6%
Capital		157,765				2,272					0%
Departmental Appropriations	\$	4,816,815	\$	6,012,087	\$	6,493,989	\$	6,197,557	\$	6,268,590	4.3%
Non-Departmental	\$	-	\$	-			\$	-	\$	-	0%
Total Appropriations	\$	4,816,815	\$	6,012,087	\$	6,493,989	\$	6,197,557	\$	6,268,590	4.3%
Full Time Equivalents		80		81		81		81		81	-
Part Time		-		-		-		-		-	-
Revenues											
Discretionary	\$	2,817,428	\$	3,350,627	\$	3,474,438	\$	3,472,685	\$	3,416,409	2.0%
Program		1,073,301		890,673		890,673		890,673		987,024	10.8%
911 Wireless Surcharge		221,706									
General Fund Subtotal	\$	4,112,435	\$	4,241,300	\$	4,365,111	\$	4,363,358	\$	4,403,433	3.8%
Emergency Telephone System Fund	\$	704,380	\$	1,770,787	\$	2,128,878	\$	1,834,199	\$	1,865,157	5.3%
Total Revenues	\$	4,816,815	\$	6,012,087	\$	6,493,989	\$	6,197,557	\$	6,268,590	4.3%



Operational Impacts of Budget Changes

- Unfunding five (5) 9-1-1 Communications Officer
 position will delay the implementation of improving
 dispatching of fire calls for service. Telephone
 responsibilities need to removed from all dispatch
 stations in order to improve response.
- The Training Department will seek out and utilize more webinar based training.



FY 10 Performance Measures

STRATEGY: Maintain staffing at sufficient levels needed to ensure timely response to 911 calls.

	Actual	Adopted	Estimated	Proposed
MEASURES:	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2009	FY 2010
911 calls Answered	289,852	305,590	298,764	301,867
% 911 calls answered in 3 rings				
or less	88%	98%	91%	95%

STRATEGY: Aggressively review EMS calls documenting and correcting weak areas necessary for accreditation.

	Actual	Adopted	Estimated	Proposed
MEASURES:	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2009	FY 2010
Accuracy of EMD protocols	97%	95%	97%	95%

STRATEGY: Prioritize the discrepancies of database errors to expedite resolution and to insert the boundaries of the emergency service agencies responding according to Emergency Service Number Status in system.

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MEASURES:	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2009	FY 2010
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